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Ambassador Bennett has provided additional information on the three civilian "technicians" who have evidently agreed to form part of a new junta headed by General Antonio Imbert. Such a junta, which would also include Colonel Benoit, a member of the present military junta, would have a broader political base and would, hopefully, be able to more effectively represent the anti-rebel cause than the present all-military junta. The three civilians would be essentially non-political and would include Dr. Hector Goico, a surgeon who has ties with both Bosch's Dominican Revolutionary Party (PRD) and with former President Balaguer's Reformist Party (PR); Julio Cuello, who was president of the supreme court under Bosch and is an independent, generally respected, but weak; and Luis Julian Perez, an independent who is acceptable to and generally respected by both the PRD and the PR.

State Dept. review completed

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